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Senate Resolution 722

By: Senator Chapman of the 3rd

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and celebrating the 82nd birthday of Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods; and for
- 2 other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods was born on April 7, 1927, in Sylvester,
- 4 Georgia; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Mrs. Woods began working at the age of 16 in personnel for the builder of
- 6 World War II Liberty ships, J.A. Jones Construction Company, in Brunswick, Georgia; and
- 7 WHEREAS, after many years with J.A. Jones, Mrs. Woods joined Southern Bell to work as
- 8 a switchboard operator; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mrs. Woods is united in love and marriage to her wonderful husband, Levi, and
- 10 they have been blessed with three loving and devoted children; and
- WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
- 12 the foundation and framework of success in which all of her family members have developed
- 13 and flourished; and
- 14 WHEREAS, known as the neighborhood mom of the Highland Park community of
- 15 Brunswick, Mrs. Woods always had an endless supply of cookies and Kool-Aid for the
- 16 neighborhood children and had a great amount of tolerance for their many shenanigans; and
- 17 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
- ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens, and she possesses the vast wisdom
- 19 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
- 20 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

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21 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for

- 22 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she has made of her life,
- 23 she makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she
- be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 26 join in commending Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods on the occasion of her 82nd
- 27 birthday and wishing her many more years of happiness.
- 28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 29 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Willie Mae "Kat" Vick Woods.